

House Bill 53 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

To amend Code Section 15-6-3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to terms of court, so as to change certain provisions relating to the Piedmont Circuit; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

**SECTION 1.**

Code Section 15-6-3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to terms of court, is amended by revising paragraph (32) as follows:

"(32) PIEDMONT CIRCUIT:

(A) Banks County — ~~First and second Mondays in April and October~~ First Monday in February and August; and there shall be a grand jury for each term, but the grand jury shall not be required to be impaneled in the first day of each term.

(B) Barrow County — ~~Last Monday in January, first and second Mondays in February, second and third Mondays in August, and first and second Mondays in May and November~~ First Monday in February and August; and there shall be a grand jury for each term, but the grand jury shall not be required to be impaneled in the first day of each term.

(C) Jackson County — ~~First and second Mondays in March and the second and third Mondays in September~~ First Monday in February and August; and there shall be a grand jury for each term, but the grand jury shall not be required to be impaneled in the first day of each term."

**SECTION 2.**

This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law without such approval.

- 1 **SECTION 3.**
- 2 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.